Carlisle Cultural Council Minutes of March 15, 2019 - 8:00am meeting

In attendance: Alain Bojarski, Jill Henderson, Carren Panico, Caren Ponty

- The minutes of the January 18, 2019 meeting were reviewed and approved
- The financial statement dated March 14, 2019 was reviewed: the FY2018 grant to the Carlisle Mosquito has been claimed, no FY2019 grant has been claimed yet.
- The Carlisle Cultural Council intends to participate actively to Old Home Day again this year. Jill H. responded to the request for suggestions with "Sounds of Carlisle" as a possible theme for OHD. The theme for OHD should be known for the next Cultural Council meeting.
- Some ideas of events organized by the Cultural Council for OHD were discussed: open-mic, flash mob, sing along.. during ice cream social or Fire Station BBQ,...
- New members: Abby Z. had some suggestions for possible new members. Jill H. will follow up with her. It was mentioned that it is critical to get new members since Caren Ponty and Carren Panico will arrive at the end of their second 3 year term next year.
- The Carlisle Cultural Council didn't apply for a MCC Festival grant this year.
- A plan for an Open Mic event (1 to 3 times during the year) needs to be defined by Sept. 2019 at the latest to be able to file an application (for up to \$500) for the FY2020 grant cycle.
- Next meeting is scheduled of April 19, 2019 at 8:00am
- Meeting adjourned at 9:45am

Submitted by Alain Bojarski